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In re:

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"Method And Computer Program Product For Assessing A Process Of An Organization"

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# RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated June 28, 2001, enclosed are the following:

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	(Notice to File Missing Parts of Application)	
$\boxtimes$	Declaration and Power of Attorney for the above-identified application which has be	er
	executed by the named inventor(s)	
	Applicant claims small entity status	
$\overline{\boxtimes}$	Check in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the surcharge under 37 C.F.R.§ 1.16(e)	
	English Translation and \$130.00 (37 CFR 1.17(k)) fee for filing late.	
	Other:	•
	Any additional fee or credit may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 16-0605.	

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## Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
   A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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